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**Dated** 15 - 9 - 1952

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**[Despatch Abstract.]**

CIVIL SUPPLIES - Foodgrains - Madras State Madras Foodgrains (Restricted Pledging with Banks) Order 1950 - Reissued.

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ABSTRACT.

Civil Supplies - Foodgrains - Madras State - Madras Foodgrains (Restricted Pledging with Banks) Order, 1950 - Reissued.

FOOD AND AGRICULTURE DEPARTMENT.

G.O.Ms.No.1485. Dated 15th September 1952.
Read the following:

G.O.Ms.No.790, Food and Agriculture, dated 25.4.50.
From the Board of Revenue (Civil Supplies) No.10765 UII/52-1, dated 28.6.52.
Letter to Government of India, Ministry of Food and Agriculture, No.41422 A/52-2, Food and Agriculture, dated 25.8.52.
From the Government of India, Ministry of Food and Agriculture, New Delhi, Telegram No.Cg.604/23-1, dated 9.9.52.

O R D E R:

The appended notification will be published in English in the Fort St. George Gazette and in English and in the Chief languages of the district in the District gazettes of all districts.

2. The Superintendent, Government Press is requested to supply six copies of the notification to the Senior Translator to Government for translating them into the Chief languages of the district concerned. The Senior Translator is requested to furnish translations of the notification to the Superintendent, Government Press, at an early date.

(BY ORDER ETC., )
R.M. SUNDARAM,
Secretary to Government.

To
The Superintendent, Government Press, Madras, for publication of the Notification in the Fort St. George Gazette.
The Senior Translator to Government.
The Board of Revenue (Civil Supplies).
The ~~Board~~ All Collectors, Government of India, Ministry of Food and Agriculture, New Delhi.
Copy to Legal Department.
,, ,, Development Department.
,, the Regional Director (Food), Southern Region, Madras.

A P P E N D I X.

NOTIFICATION.

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3(1) and (2) of the Essential Supplies (Temporary Powers) Act, 1946 (Central Act XXIV of 1946), read with the Notification of the Government of India, Department of Food, No.PY.603(2)-1, dated the 21st October 1946, and section 17(2) of the said Act and with the concurrence of the Government of India, the Governor of Madras hereby makes the following Order in super-session of the Madras.

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Foodgrains (Restricted Pledging with Banks) Order, 1950, published with the Food and Agriculture Department Notification, dated the 25th April 1950 at pages 49-50 of the Rules Supplement to Part II of the Fort St. George Gazette, dated the 9th May 1950.

The supersession of the Order aforesaid shall not affect the proceedings which have been already taken or which may hereafter be taken in respect of anything done or omitted to be done under the said Order.

O R D E R:

1.(1) This Order may be called the Madras Foodgrains (Restricted Pledging with Banks) Order, 1952.

(2) It extends to the whole of the State of Madras excluding the City of Madras.

(3) It shall come into force at once.

2. In this Order —

(1) "foodgrains" means paddy (rice in the husk) or rice (paddy husked).

(2) "Wholesale Agent" means any person, company, association, co-operative stores or society holding stocks of foodgrains (either locally procured or imported) on behalf of the Government.

(3) "bank" means any scheduled bank as defined in the Reserve Bank of India Act, 1934 (Central Act II of 1934) or any bank registered under the Indian Companies Act, 1913 (Central Act VII of 1913).

(4) "contract" means contract or agreement entered into by the wholesale agent with the Collector for the supply of foodgrains either for local distribution in the district or for export outside.

3. No wholesale agent shall pledge the whole of any part of the stock of foodgrains held by him on behalf of the Government with any bank except under or in accordance with the terms and conditions specified below:-

(1) The pledging shall only be with the previous written permission (whether general or special) of the Collector concerned.

(2) When the concerned authorities so require by a notice, the stocks which had been pledged with the bank shall be redeemed within the time prescribed by them, not being less than seven days from the date of receipt of the notice and made available according to their instructions.

(3) One and the same stock of foodgrains shall not be pledged with more than onebank.

(4) The previous written permission (whether general or special) of the Collector shall be obtained for any transfer of the foodgrains pledged from one bank to another.

(5) The wholesale agent who pledges a stock of foodgrains with the bank shall afford every facility to the inspecting officers of the Government for inspecting the stock pledged and shall take adequate steps to facilitate such inspection.

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(6) The wholesale agent who pledges foodgrains with the bank shall furnish the following particulars in the weekly report submitted by him, to the Collector:-

(i) The name of the bank with which the stock of foodgrains remains pledged;

(ii) The quantity pledged for (a) key loan and (b) open loan and the places of storage;

(iii) The quantities in stock free of pledge; and

(iv) Total stock (items (ii) and (iii) )

4. If any person contravenes any of the provisions of this Order, then, without prejudice to any other punishment to which he may be liable, any Court trying such contravention may direct that the packages, coverings or receptacles in which the stock of foodgrains concerned is found shall be forfeited to the State Government.

(BY ORDER ETC., )

/True Copy/.

R. Murugesan 21.10.56

SUPERINTENDENT.
Madras Record Office, Madras.

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